

FREAK LAW IS PASSED IN IOWA

DES MOINES, Ia., April 8.—Without one dissenting vote the senate yesterday adopted the bill providing for sterilization of habitual criminals, imbeciles, idiots, and feeble minded confined in state institutions. The measure has passed the house and is now before the governor for action.

SAYS WAR WITH JAPAN WOULD BE GROSSEST FOLLY

BARON DE CONSTANT RIDICULES
IDEA OF AN ATTACK ON
UNITED STATES.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—In an address before the Commonwealth club a few days ago, Baron d'Estournelles de Constant, the distinguished French scholar who has been advocating the cause of international conciliation, declared that "war with Japan would be not only crime, but folly, with no end, no result, except revolution and ruin." The text of his address was "War or Peace With Japan."

"Let us suppose," he said, "that the United States, following an unfortunate inspiration, attacks Japan and is victorious; this victory would be of no use; Japan would remain inaccessible and even stronger than before, standing upon her right against an unjust aggression, and would be supported by the national feeling of her people and by the exalted solidarity of Asia; no civilized nation would abstain from approving such resistance."

"But supposing now the reverse, and in a moment of complete folly that Japan attack the United States. This attack would be, for Japan, a suicide."

"Let us suppose, with the most pessimist alarmist, that Japan, starting a policy, would try to monopolize the Pacific ocean, claiming Asia for the Asiatic. It would be the beginning of her decadence and the end of her power."

"Acting against the United States, taking by surprise or by force the Philippines, the Hawaiian Islands, she would open, at the same time the era of a general reversion against Europe. She could not stop, but would threaten Great Britain, Singapore as well as Shanghai, France, Saigon as well as Hanoi, Germany, Netherlands, Russia, Australia, too—that is to say, all the world. It is very much to do for one nation."

"And where would Japan find money for experimenting in the Pacific with this Napoleonic policy of universal blockade?"

"Let us stop this alarmist nonsense and these pessimist appeals to new expenses for armaments and to empty glory."

"The empire of the sea exists no more; the Pacific ocean will belong to all, as well as sky belongs to aviation and not to one nation only. Let us be confident in the wisdom of the Japanese people and of the Japanese government."

PPRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Presbyterian church, Sunday April 9.—The subject of the evening service at 7:45 will be "Judas Iscariot." Special music and congregational singing led by the choir. Morning service at 11 a. m., subject, "The Triumphant Entry." Bible school is growing every Sunday; time, 9:45 a. m. The teachers will be pleased to help you and the school needs your presence. Young People's meeting at 6:45 p. m., leader, Mr. Lord. If you have no church home, a most cordial invitation is extended to you. Herman L. Burnham, minister; church on St. Patrick street.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS ADJOURNED THIS MORNING

After checking over the bills for the month the county commissioners, at least the two members who attended the meeting, adjourned this morning. Nothing of a startling or sensational nature came before this meeting.

TONOPAH EXTENSION SHOWS EXCELLENT PROGRESS AND INCREASE IN ASSAY VALUES

SHORTAGE OF \$8500 IN THE CHICAGO P. O.

WARRANT ISSUED FOR ARREST
OF HEAD OF STAMPED EN-
VELOPE DEPARTMENT.

CHICAGO, April 8.—A shortage of \$8500 was reported yesterday in the wholesale stamped envelope department of the Chicago postoffice. At the same time Postmaster Campbell said the head of the department, John J. Daly, had not appeared at the postoffice since the shortage was called to his attention last Monday.

A general investigation of all the books kept in the various departments of the postoffice was begun some time ago and the investigators could not balance the accounts in Daly's department.

Mr. Campbell said yesterday the reckoning was completed Monday and Mr. Daly was told of the shortage and was advised he would have to make it up; that Daly said he would not. General James E. Stuart, chief postoffice inspector, said he had sworn out a warrant charging embezzlement.

Inspectors who visited Daly's residence found Mrs. Daly ill. She told them she had not seen her husband since Monday night, when she said, he told her he was going out to do some "election work."

ENGAGEMENT OF MISS HOBBS.

DAVENPORT, Iowa, April 8.—Announcement was made yesterday by the family of the approaching marriage of Miss Eleanor Hobbs, daughter of Col. Frank E. Hobbs, commandant of the Rock Island arsenal, to Ardo Mitchell, local golf champion and prominent in national tournaments. The wedding will take place at Trinity cathedral, Davenport, May 25.

Bullion Shipped During Week Ending March 1st Totaled \$27,000, and for the Month \$42,000

During the past week the Tonopah Extension company has made excellent progress in their mine development. The different stopes and drifts as advanced showing, in many places, an increase in assay values of the ore being mined and milled. During the week ending March 1, the company shipped 18 bars of bullion valued at \$27,000. The total shipment for March is the neat sum of \$42,000. It is expected that with the increased value of ore now being extracted in virgin ground that the bullion output will be increased considerably over that of March. Yesterday the timbering crew was busily engaged in putting in three new sets of timbers from the collar of the main shaft down. The old timbers have become decayed from moisture. This work will not interfere with the mill operation, as the ore bins now contain over 600 tons of ore, which is being reduced and refined into bullion.

Too much praise cannot be given General Manager John Kirchen and his able assistants in the manner this great mining property is being developed. The virgin ground now being mined shows that new ore bodies of a promising character are liable at any day to startle Tonopah and surprise the mining world.

The tonnage for the week ending April 1, was 993 tons. The mine development for the past week is as follows:

At the 270-foot level—Stopping continues as usual east and west from the shaft, showing about four feet of milling ore.

At the 400-foot level—On the south ledge the three stopes continue to show five feet of ore. In

the intermediate stope, between the 270 and 400-foot levels, four feet of a good-milling grade of ore is being extracted. Two years ago it was impossible to mine this ore owing to the deadly fumes coming from gas chambers opened up, and was impossible to work. In the westerly portion of the mine, four feet of milling ore is being stoped in virgin ground. In the main vein on the north, or original ledge, stoping continues in several places east and west of the shaft.

At the 500-foot level—The south crosscut from the south ledge was advanced 23 feet last week in broken material, now commencing to show values. The north crosscut from the same ledge was advanced 19 feet and shows some mineral; a good indication of a near-run body. This crosscut is being run to cut the ore body on the 400-foot level above.

In the west drift from the south crosscut in the westerly portion of the mine was advanced 26 feet and is now in quartz, but not considered pay ore—but a good prospect. Stoping continues in two places west of the shaft. The north ledge is in five feet of ore. One stope east of the shaft, on the same level, shows from four to five feet of ore.

At the 600-foot level—No. 2 east drift from the south crosscut in the westerly portion of the mine shows good sulphide ore the width of the drift. High grade spots of ore is frequently found in this drift. The new ground broken during the past week shows increased values over last week. Stoping continues west of the shaft, the ledge breaking from four to five feet of ore.

SOCIETY GIRL IS MARRIED TO A BLACKFOOT

SELECT CLUB AT LOS ANGELES
TO WHICH BRIDE BELONG IS
SHOCKED BY THE NEWS.

LOS ANGELES, April 8.—Exclusive in its membership of artists, literateurs and dramatic students, the ultra fashionable Arroyo Dinner club was last night shocked when it discovered that Miss Annabel McFarland, its youngest and prettiest member had secretly married a Blackfoot Indian. He is Hart Schultz, a tribesman of the Dakotas, 6 feet 2 inches tall, with the stamp of the plains upon him and the flame of the desert in his eyes.

For a few weeks he moved like a shadow in the picturesque Garvanza select set circle and stole the heart of the New York girl who came here as a dramatic pupil and to study painting. The Indian, too, is a painter, and they met in a studio. Soon afterward they went to Santa Ana, the Indian's steely making it easy for them to outwit the girl's friends, and were married.

A few days ago at Long Beach, the young Indian jumped into the sea to rescue a drowning man, and came back to the city without changing clothes. Congestion of the lungs resulted, and yesterday it became necessary for him to go to the desert to save his own life. When the parting came the secret got out.

DICK HYLAND OUTCLASSED.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Youngh Smith of Philadelphia and Dick Hyland of California, the two lightweights who fought a 10-round bout here several days ago, which was won by Sammy Smith, are to mix matters again within a week or so.

LOCAL ELKS ARE EAGER TO MEET GOLDFIELD TEAM

Will Bet Any Amount on Ability to Defeat Opponents—Practice May Take Place Tomorrow.

Talk about the world's championship series, why that was not a circumstance to the great exhibition of the stellar American game—aside from poker—that will be presented on the Tonopah diamond when Elk meets Elk—Goldfield and Tonopah—on Sunday, April 23rd. The local team is itching—figuratively speaking—to have the great day arrive when it can show decisively its superiority at baseball over the Goldfield bunch. Of course the game will not be a one-sided affair, far from that. But the way the Tonopah team expects to put it over its visiting brothers is certainly a shame. Thus far every effort to induce the Tonopah lodge to show a little of the milk of human kindness has been of no avail, although it is expected that by the appointed time it will have reconsidered the matter and will allow the visiting team to demonstrate a little of its latent ability.

While there is no particular necessity for the action, the local team members figure that they had better get out tomorrow and do a little practice work, for the simple reason that they do not wish the Goldfield brothers to be too discouraged when they arrive in Tonopah for their Waterloo.

Preceding the game on the 23d will be a mammoth street parade, guaranteed by the Elks as the finest the city has ever witnessed. They maintain that they intend to do as well in the parade as in the ball game which is to follow. A special train will bring the

mourners over from Goldfield to witness the slaughter. And, the local team has decided that the \$500 wager offered by the Goldfield aspirants for baseball honors is far too small for its consideration. If the amount is increased to half-a-million or some other worthwhile John Gates betting figure, it may be considered.

The real thing about the game is that the proceeds go to the Tonopah volunteer fire department.

SUIT TO BE ASKED TO SETTLE TAHOE RIGHTS

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 8.—When Secretary of Interior Fisher returns to Washington, Representative Kent will ask him to grant a hearing and give permission for the bringing of a friendly suit to determine the respective rights of all the parties laying claim to waters of Lake Tahoe and the Truckee river.

Kent says there are many and conflicting claims that have never been determined by a court, and until such adjudication, there will necessarily be conflicts and uncertainty. He says the states of California and Nevada the federal government, the riparian owners and

EARLY MORNING BLAZE IS THOUGHT TO BE INCENDIARY

But for Prompt Response of Fire Department the Flames Would Possibly Have Spread to Nevada Theatre.

Shortly after 3 o'clock this morning the fire department answered a call which took it to a small cabin to the rear of and alongside the Nevada theatre. The prompt pouring of a stream upon the blaze soon brought it under control and saved the Nevada theatre from destruction, which threatened with any spread of the fire.

This is about four fires that have occurred in this immediate vicinity within a short time, and considerable feeling has been aroused by the fact that they have all undoubtedly been of incendiary origin. From the appearance of the blaze this morning

it would appear as though the lighter has designs upon the theatre, and, in fact, all have been in close proximity to that house.

The cabin to which the morning call was made was untenanted. A bedstead, mattress and box of kindling being about all its contents. The mattress was placed over the box of kindling, in which the fire originated and to which it was practically confined by the efficient work of the fire department.

Efforts will be made to run down the guilty parties and it threatens to go hard with them should they be discovered.

BELTON TO STUDY AVIATION.

CHICAGO, April 8.—General Kaid Belton, the young Englishman who commanded the army which deposed the late Sultan Abdul Aziz of Morocco in the revolution there, entered as a student at the Chicago School of Aviation yesterday.

YOUR EASTER GOWN.

Must be planned at once. PEART'S BIG STORE shows a most complete line of beautiful materials; all colors, etc. Everything new and snappy. 4-8-2t

Sheriff Ed Malley left this morning for Manhattan and Round Mountain on official business.

Fresh milk and cream at Palace Market. 12-12-1t

ORE SHIPMENTS DURING PAST WEEK

During the week 8396 tons of ore, carrying a value of \$209,575, were shipped from mines in this district, as follows:

Tonopah Mining.....	3350
Belmont company.....	2803
Montana.....	1000
Tonopah Extension.....	993
West End.....	200
Midway.....	50

BIG BILL AT THE BUTLER FOR TONIGHT

DALE AND CARREG WILL AP-
PEAR IN BLACK-FACE
STUNT.

For tonight's program at the Butler theater the management has arranged a splendid program. Dale and Carreg, that swell vaudeville team, will be heard in their famous colored act, which is a scream from beginning to end. The pictures for tonight are as follows: "The Changeling," (drama); "The Eye of Conscience," (Selig drama), and a splendid Lubin comedy, entitled "Dobbs the Dauber." For tomorrow's matinee and evening performances Dale and Carreg will be heard in an entire change of program and the pictures will be as follows: "Priscilla and the Pequot," (Kalem drama); "Hobby's Troubles," (comedy); "Indo China Lads," (scenic), and an Edison feature film entitled "His First Communion."

The special orchestration feature of the shows last night was one of the biggest hits that have ever been made at the popular little theater with the big patronage.

REFUSAL TO SEND CARS BY WESTERN PACIFIC

SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—The state railroad commission, at its meeting yesterday, considered what it is declared to be an attempt to prevent the Western Pacific railroad from sharing the freight business between Northern California and the east.

The alleged movement against the new road was brought to the attention of the commission through a complaint filed by the E. Rosenberg & Sons company of San Francisco, stating that the Northwestern Pacific railroad, owned jointly by the Southern Pacific and the Santa Fe, refused to route cars from its line east over the Western Pacific or to accept cars from the east over that road on a pro tariff basis.

The commission refused the application of the Southern Pacific to restore to its former figure the freight rate on sugar between San Francisco and Los Angeles.

TADISH BROS. READY FOR BUSINESS APRIL 10

Tadish Brothers, the firm which will enter the gent's furnishing business of Tonopah, with headquarters at 140-142 Main street—the old Eureka house—will be ready for business next Monday, April 10. The new firm gives promise of cutting considerable of a figure in the local business, the Tadish Brothers having the reputation of being keen and sagacious business men. From all appearances at the present time this reputation is well deserved. They have every appearance of being live, wide-awake, hustling merchants. They have recently disposed of their business in Rhyolite.

ARTHUR RAYCRAFT TO GO TO CARSON CITY

Arthur Raycraft will shortly leave for Carson City to assume the duties of assistant bank examiner and chief clerk to State Bank Examiner Eugene Howell. The announcement of the appointment and acceptance was made late yesterday afternoon.

"GUNBOAT" SMITH WINS.
OAKLAND, Cal., April 8.—"Gunboat" Smith knocked out Joe Lannum last night in the second round of a scheduled six-round bout.